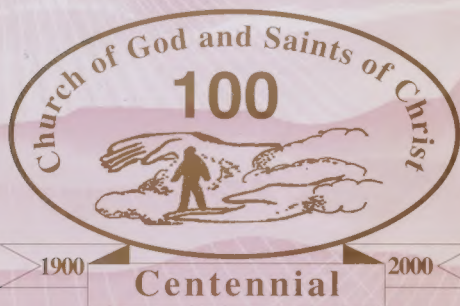


Church of God and Saints of Christ

CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIVE JOURNAL



Celebrating the Past...
...Turning to the Future

OCTOBER 27-28, 2000

51-53 Jones Street
Newark, New Jersey

*This Commemorative Journal is
Dedicated to our Youth*

The heritage was waiting to be recorded. Its content, although filled with richness, has not tapped the many contributions made by trail-blazers and present works of high quality.

The envision for this journal was to present the legacy left to us. Hopefully, it will remind our youth that there need not be a barrier to what they can do to further enrich the quality of the church. More importantly, it would make them aware of the rich heritage that has cummulatively been bestowed on them.

Our dream was inspired by the confidence that God was with us!

Your commemorative journal of 100 years is finally here.

ST. WANDA MARIE ROBERTS

Centennial President

Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

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51-53 Jones Street
Newark, New Jersey



*"Our Banner
Waving High"*



Centennial Anniversary



A Church Does Not "Just Happen"

Mabel Cornelia Matson

A church does not "Just Happen." It is born
of human need and faith and it is fed
by tireless service, sacrifice, and a prayer;
by love and loyalty to Christ, its Head.
It grows through vision and the zeal to dare;
through ministry of loving word and deed;
by learning to forgive and to forbear;
by fellowship of hands across the world;
by willingness to freely give and share.
So this, your church, was born and so it grew.
The story of its future rests with you.

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The Independent Church of God and Saints of Christ:

Est. 1900 A.D.

"The Past is Prologue to the Future"

As we enter a new millennium, and gaze into a future fraught with danger and uncertainty, we must consider the lessons of the past. Our forefathers left us a legacy of faith, hope and charity. We pay tribute to: The foresight of Prophet William S. Crowdy, our founder, and the indomitable spirit of Chief Evangelist Malinda Dora Morris, who established this ministry in the city of Newark. Her determination, obedience and tenacity were faith in action. The confidence and optimism of the early congregation was a shining example of hope for the future and a catalyst for their remarkable success, against monumental odds. This despite the fact that African Americans were three decades removed from the cruelest form of slavery, the world had ever known.

Their pastor taught them to "Follow peace with all men," and that holiness was essential for salvation. They learned that the Holy Spirit is manifested as: "a heart full of love" for one's fellow man. The church became a "beacon light, set on a hill" in service to God and the community. As we remember the glory of the past, let us recall the struggle and sacrifice, heartache and rejection, pain and perseverance. Let us recall the honest mistakes of the patriarchs. We have a rich heritage from which to draw. Let us never forget from whence we came. As we venture into the new millennium, faith, hope and charity will clear our way. Truth and honesty will light our path. Christ will be our pilot.

Prophet Crowdy said, "I've kindled a fire in Newark, that will never go out."

ELDER PHILIP THOMAS



Centennial Anniversary





Zif (May) 15, 2000

It is with great pleasure that I congratulate the Church of God and Saints of Christ located at 51-53 Jones St. Newark, New Jersey on celebrating your 100th Anniversary of service and commitment to the almighty God. Queen Malinda Morris, having been commissioned by the founder of this great church, Prophet William S. Crowdy, would be happy that her labors were not in vain because the Church is still alive, performing, and functioning well!

One hundred years is a long time! Members have come and members have gone, but through the power of God, the beacon light of the Church of God and Saints of Christ, Jones Street Tabernacle, is still shining brightly! The call of Jesus is still being sent out to the world, when He said, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

It is with Jesus' joy that I wish the Church of God and Saints of Christ, Jones Street, the warmest and the happiest centennial celebration ever. I say to the Jones Street Tabernacle the same words that Prophet William S. Crowdy said when he commissioned Queen Malinda Morris, "Quote the gospel of Jesus Christ." If you continue to do that, and if it is the Lord's will, this time 100 years from now, you will celebrate your second 100 years of service to God.

God bless you and keep you forever is my prayer.

Best wishes to one and all,

BISHOP ROBERT D. GRANT, SR.

Chief Executive Officer



Down through the years, the relationship between the Independent Church of God and Saints of Christ and the New Haven Tabernacle has been a very special one. The bond of friendship and communication first forged between the late Chief Evangelist (Queen) Malinda Morris and our first pastor, the late Elder William A. Blount, still remain true and unbreakable.

*Today, we come together to salute your
historic achievement of
100 years of faith and service.*

BISHOP ROBERT H. STALLINGS
and Congregation
Tabernacle #1
New Haven, Connecticut

From the Office of Pastor Stallings

From the Office of Pastor Stallings,

On behalf of our church family, I delight in welcoming you, our extended family to this historical occasion and celebration of our centennial year. One hundred years and our church yet remain relevant to the needs of our world and its people, especially in its transition to the 21st century.

In 1986, after arriving as pastor, I was greeted with great excitement and joy! There was reminiscing from various members, recalling the earlier days, struggles and achievement. Devotion, pride, sacrifice, and love were paramount.



Since that time, I have celebrated many anniversaries with the Saints of this tabernacle. Every year I marveled at the celebrations and its lead into the one hundredth celebration. We thank God for those years and for all He's done and will continue to do.

As we celebrate one hundred years of ministry of the Church of God and Saints of Christ, in Newark, New Jersey, we must pause and reflect on our past. We've truly celebrated the past by treasuring such a rich heritage; spotted with clouds of witnesses whose legacy of love, courage and faith were our building blocks. Something mystical must have occurred in this church's inception, for a hundred years hence, we're still holding up its banner. As we turn to the future, we prepare to build and become an even more progressive church. You and I are the chosen ones to bring this church into its second century. It has always been our blessed duty to fortify God's church, improve the condition of God's children and praise God for his everlasting presence. Faith has been our common thread for over a century. It is what binds us. It has been the brick and mortar of this church. Though we can and should debate over what is the best means to advance this church, we all know we can't let our faith wane. Therefore, I implore you to: "Press forward to the high mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

Again, I represent countless many in welcoming you to our centennial celebration. It is a highly anticipated, once in a lifetime event that promises renewed and continued spiritual growth, in addition to ethical and moral enlightenment.

With All Good Wishes,

EVANGELIST ENOCH M. STALLINGS



Message from the Centennial President



It has been an honor and a privilege to serve as the Centennial President for the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Church of God and Saints of Christ. We have truly marked a milestone so essential to our history.

As I looked through the pages of history, it was evident that our pioneers were steadfast and unmovable. They shouldered their responsibilities and the church was an integral part of the community. Refuge was provided for widows and orphans; summer programs were developed for our youth. The church also opened its doors as a shelter for fire victims.

People in the community were fed and clothed. Today, we must continue that legacy through the development of more outreach programs. We are a very unique group. Therefore, "our story" must continue to reverberate! Let us "repeat the resounding success" of deeds of courage, decisions of lasting influence, strokes of brilliance, works of high quality, and moments of glory! We can do it!

I am deeply grateful to my family for their patience, support and time. Thanks to all who in any way, large or small contributed to the development of this commemorative souvenir journal.

Happy One-Hundredth Anniversary

ST. WANDA MARIE ROBERTS

History of the Church of God and Saints of Christ

Established by Queen Malinda Dora Morris, Newark, New Jersey

History cannot be reiterated unless we put into perspective the founder, William Saunders Crowdy,

whom we believe to be a Prophet of God. In the early fall of 1900, Prophet Crowdy, spiritually guided, commissioned Sister Elder Malinda Dora Morris to establish a church in Newark, New Jersey. He also commissioned her to "Quote (the Gospel) of Jesus" and that she did!

Sister Elder Malinda Morris entered the city of Newark by Rail and exited at the South Street Station. After securing a place to stay and paying her rent, she was left with the sum of fifteen cents. Every evening, she could be found preaching at the intersection of West Market Street and Springfield Ave. The first Sabbath service was held in her landlord's living room on Arlington Street. Alone but yet not alone, this woman prayed her own prayer, sang her song and preached. At the turn of the century, this great leader had the tenacity and fortitude to take on this all absorbing mission. Jesus said, "Go into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled." That, she did! As the membership expanded, Sister Elder Morris rented a storefront (December, 1900) at the intersection of Broome and Baldwin Streets to have services. This was the first tabernacle of the Church of God and Saints of Christ in Newark, New Jersey.

In 1906, Sister Elder Morris was ordained as Chief Evangelist and crowned at the Passover (Solemnized in Plainfield, New Jersey) by Prophet William S. Crowdy. After being crowned, the people, in amazement, gave her the title of "Queen." Thorndike and Barnhart define "queen" as "a woman who has eminence or authority, a woman who is very stately and attractive." She exemplified all of the above aforementioned attributes. Therefore, she was distinguished in bearing the title of "Queen."

Due to the overwhelming political pressure by the Board of Presbytery, Prophet Crowdy was forced to relieve Chief Evangelist Morris of her pastoral duties. He removed her from the pulpit for one year. During this period, the late Evangelist Fred W. Hamilton (assistant pastor and father of the late Bishop Allen W. Hamilton) continued to lead the members in his humble manner.

After a year had passed, Prophet Crowdy sent for Chief Evangelist Morris (in Washington D.C.) and it was there he restored her to the pulpit. His quote was, "Go back to your pulpit and stay there, until Christ comes." Her commission was to "quote Jesus," and that she did! During her ministry, it was only through the divine power of God that she was able to fulfill her ministry as a humble servant of God. (Healing and miracles were often observed.)

On August 4, 1908 at 5:00 p.m., the founder of this great organization, Prophet William S. Crowdy, fell asleep in the home of Queen Morris, 82 Livingston St. It was she who relayed the distressing call to the ministerial body of this church. Upon Prophet Crowdy's passing, the congregation was supportive of Queen Malinda Morris as she took on all fiduciary responsibilities of his burial. He was laid to rest in Woodlawn Cemetery, Newark, New Jersey. Funeral arrangements were professionally entrusted to the care of G.F.A. Fred Hamilton, a qualified mortician and assisted by his son, the late Bishop Allen Wesley Hamilton.

In 1908, Queen Morris purchased two lots and construction began on the new edifice at 18-20 Lewis Street, Newark, New Jersey. The church moved from Broome Street to Cozy's Hall at 7 Washington Street. We remained there until our new edifice was erected. The newly erected house of worship was completed January 1909 and dedicated to God by Evang. Alexander



Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

Taylor, Chief Chorister, St. Roberta Harris led the choir as they marched into their beautiful edifice singing, "His Feet Shall Stand."

Amidst her happiness there was sorrow. After the demise of the founder, there was a Schism. There was unrest and struggle for power among the ministerial body of men. Due to miscommunication and the negative attitude toward women in the ministry Queen Malinda Morris was taken before the court of law, without just cause. As the litigant, she protected the interest of the church with one word, **Independent**. She won the judicial decision.

Under her leadership, the membership expanded to an estimated number of 500. Her outreach ministry was to help fallen humanity. Every Sunday evening, she presented only the best of talent. She organized an accapella singing group known as the Choice Five. As this was her own select group, it is befitting to acknowledge the names of the original members: The late Chief Evangelist Johanna Lewis, Brother Solomon Harris, and St. Marian Harris. In later years, the late Evangelist Doc (John) Harris, Jr. replaced his brother Solomon Harris. Three members survive this talented group: St. Naomi Chambers Blanchard and St. Robert Harris Malone. Chorister St. Irene Laverne Jones, then known as "Baby Irene" was the featured soloist.

Succeeding Pastors to Queen Morris were: Evangelist Fred Hamilton, Evangelist Robert G. Brown, Evangelist Allen W. Hamilton, and Evangelist Doc (John) Harris Jr.; Interim Pastor, Evangelist-At-Large John E. Kaiser and our present Pastor, Evangelist Enoch M. Stallings, assigned in 1986.

Since her passing, the trustees purchased another lot in 1951 and built a second edifice that is located at 51-53 Jones Street, Newark, New Jersey. Services were held at the Masonic Temple Hall on Belmont Avenue until our new edifice was completed. This edifice was completed in 1952. The leaders and congregation marched (under the direction of the late Chief Chorister St. Johanna Lewis and Chief Shepherd James Smith) from the Masonic Temple to the new edifice. The Late Bishop Howard Z. Plummer laid the corner stone and also dedicated the House of Worship to God. On June 29, 1963 the mortgage was burned on the present edifice. This was a spiritually proud day! Two edifices were built and our debt was eradicated.

In 1986, the Jones Street Tabernacle became a unified body under the leadership of the late Executive Officer, Bishop James R. Grant. "Where there's unity, there is strength."

History prevails and the work of Queen Morris shall stand forever. Her proper perspective was in a position of prominence. She was an eminent leader. The Church of God and Saints of Christ (Jones St. Tab.) was fortunate to have had six shepherds and numerous associate ministers to carry on with the vision. Our seventh shepherd, Pastor, Evang. Stallings is an intellectual, gifted and biblical scholar. He is originally from New Haven, Connecticut and is serving with distinction. We are a strong, Christ-centered church. With God all things are possible and it is our goal to continue to move forward.

A quote from St. Matthew 20:26 from the Living Bible is apropos. "Anyone wanting to be a leader among you must be your servant. And if you want to be right at the top, you must serve like a slave. Your attitude must be like my own, for I, the Messiah, did not come to be served, but to serve." Queen Morris was a **leader and a servant**. These responsibilities caused her to taste the bitter with the sweet. However, she led the members on! She was commissioned to "Quote Jesus," and that she did!

Queen Malinda Dora Morris, a great servant of God, established the first Church of God and Saints of Christ in the City of Newark, State of New Jersey, in the year 1900.



Centennial Anniversary



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South Street Station
RR traveled by Malinda Morris.
She entered the City of
Newark



Newark's Old Courthouse
Springfield Ave. & West Market St.
Malinda Morris preached
at this site in 1900



Newark Bay
The Bay where Prophet
Crowdy "Called back" the
tide to baptize

Our humble beginnings.... ...Precious Memories



Lewis Street Tabernacle
(18-20 Lewis Street) Design of
the Church specified by Queen
Morris Constructed Completed
January 1909



First Tabernacle
Broome and Baldwin Streets
(The old landmark)
1900-1908



Throne Room
Dedicated to Prophet
Crowdy Queen Morris often
time prayed for spiritual
guidance and strength in
this sacred room

More Precious Memories...



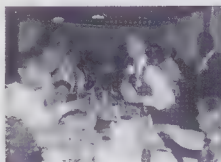
Mortgage Burning of present edifice.



The Altar over which many inspiring Sermons were delivered by Prophet Wm. S. Crowdy and other great ministers of the Gospel. These two daughters were blessed as Babies at this Altar by Prophet Crowdy.

Left, St. Clarabelle Jackson,
Right, Chief Charitable Daughter,
St. Hilda Hamilton.

Who's Who?





LEWIS STREET CHOIR MEMBERS

Left to Right:

St. Keturah Proctor, St. Naom Blanchard, St. Hurda Culer, St. Zilla Williams,
Chief Choir, St. Jonanna Lewis, St. Esther Harris, St. Minnie Thomas, St. Gladys Harris

2nd Row:

St. Constance Jeffries, St. Lucile Meadows, St. Anna White, St. IOLA Russell, St. Dorothy Wilson,
St. Agnes Cousins, St. Irene Jones, St. Clara Russell, St. Emma Harris, St. Matilda Bancard.

3rd Row:

St. James Lewis, St. Raymond Blanchard, St. James Proctor, St. Harold Thomas,
Chief Shep. St. James Smith, St. Alvin Goafrey, St. Arthur Outlaw, St. Arthur Lewis,
St. Alvin Jones.



Children of God And Servants of Christ



Centennial 100 Anniversary

Prophet William Saunders Crowdy

1896-1908

In 1847, a baby boy was born to slave parents Basil and Sarah Ann Crowdy, in St. Mary's County, Maryland. The baby was named "Wilson." Wilson would later change his name (after escaping the harsh and often brutal treatment of slaves) to William Saunders Crowdy. He was lost to his family for forty years. After the Civil War, he bought a small farm in Guthrie, Oklahoma. Later he moved to Kansas City, Missouri, met and married Lovey Yates Higgins. To this union, three children were born: Mattie Leach, Isaac, and August. The family attended a Baptist church where he held the position as a Deacon, but God had a greater work in store for William Crowdy.

This servant of God was endowed with pre-destined leadership ability and was pre-ordained by God. In 1892, God began to work with William, but he refused to take heed. Years later, acting under what he believed was divine inspiration, Crowdy's unwillingness to obey the voice of God would be changed forever! He bowed in humble submission and turned his life over to the Almighty, vowing to do His will. The Church of God and Saints of Christ was founded by God's servant, William Saunders Crowdy, whom we believe to be a Prophet of God. He organized the church in Lawrence, Kansas, in 1896.

Today's pulpits are dignified with elegant furnishings. Its ministers are salaried. Prophet Crowdy's pulpit was an open, unfurnished street corner and he stayed there receiving very little, if any, compensation! He spread the uncompromising gospel with clarity and effectiveness and heralded God's wonderful Revelation. To those who had been oppressed by servitude, he brought hope. Thus, in a span of 12 years, over 200 tabernacles were established in the United States, Canada, the Caribbean and the Continent of Africa.

During this great Ministry, it was Crowdy, who sent Sister Elder Malinda Dora Morris (Newark's first pastor) to establish a tabernacle in the city of Newark. It was in December, 1900.

Today, as we commemorate this momentous, once-in-a-lifetime, gala event of our one hundredth anniversary, we pause and reflect on the works of God's Prophet, William Saunders Crowdy. If it were not for his coming and his vision, we wouldn't have had the pleasure of being served by Queen Malinda Dora Morris.

Prophet Crowdy often frequented Newark, which is America's third oldest major city. His presence complemented the city's rich history and culture. He expressed the famous quote in Newark: "I have kindled a fire in Newark, that will never go out." God demonstrated His power through his servant, Prophet Crowdy, to summon a high tide from a low tide (at Newark Bay) to perform a baptism. Prophet Crowdy fell asleep in Newark, August 4, 1908, in the home of Queen Malinda D. Morris, 82 Livingston St. He was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Newark, N.J.

We thank God for having been given the basic tenets of the Church of God and Saints of Christ. We're also spiritually proud to be one of the surviving tabernacles, personally commissioned to Queen Morris by Prophet Crowdy. That commission was to, "establish a tabernacle in Newark and quote the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

Queen of the Fair



1901

Queen Malinda Dora Morris

1900-1937

Malinda Dora Morris was born to Watts and Elizabeth Carter, April 1867, in Danville, Virginia. At an early age, her leadership ability was prevalent. She was often found studying the Word of God and praying for the sick. Her ability to heal was not of her own but through the power of Jesus Christ.

In Virginia, her parents instilled in her the need for exhibiting exemplary character, respect, and discipline. Possessing these qualities would later be tested. As a young adult, Malinda worked in one of the many tobacco factories. She married Bishop Matthew Morris and lived happily with their adopted daughter, Marion. Malinda was a Baptist Missionary and also an ardent Eastern Star member.

At the turn of the century, the family migrated North. This was an indication of her determination, stamina, and a quest to pursue a better life. She and her husband traveled to New York City. While there, she heard of a man (William Crowdy) who was preaching a doctrine never heard before. His inspirational sermons intrigued her to attend the services for one year.

In 1899, Sis. Morris joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ in New York City. During the annual assembly that convened in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Sis. Morris received her ministerial credentials from the Church of God and Saints of Christ. Prophet Crowdy appointed officers and sent ministers to various cities. One of the designated places was Newark, NJ. God's Prophet commissioned her to establish a church in Newark and quote the gospel of Jesus Christ. That, she did!

As time would pass, Prophet Crowdy ordained Sis. Elder Morris to Chief Evangelist and placed a crown on her head in 1906. After the ordination, the people in amazement gave her the title of "Queen."

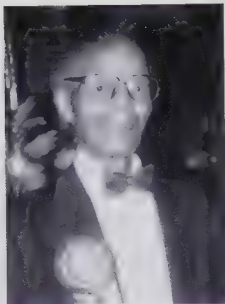
"To God Be the Glory" Malinda preached on the street corners and converted souls to come to Christ, established the first tabernacle in Newark, and provided the blueprint specifications for the first Newark edifice, completed in 1909. She also was a proprietor and provided refuge for widows and orphans. She was an entrepreneur and owned several lucrative businesses. Even though she was well known and established as a community activist, she never lost the common touch.

Despite overwhelming circumstances and an all-absorbing mission, Queen Morris was undaunted. This female pastor was able to find her way out of life's labyrinth because nature had endowed her with natural leadership abilities, strength, and talent. She too, was destined to be a leader. More importantly, she was a true servant of God. Queen Morris fell asleep, April 24, 1937, in her home at 82 Livingston St. 10:00 a.m. She was eulogized by the late Bishop Howard Z. Plummer.

She Made an Indelible Mark!

Ministerial Staff

Pastor



Evang. Enoch Stallings

Associate Minister



Elder S. Leon Roberts



Deacon Richard Walker



Sis. Eld. B. Burford

Sister Eld. J. Blanchard
(Picture unavailable)



Congratulations on 100 Years!

Greetings In the Name of Jesus. Our Lord and Savior

Whether it is a large number or a small number,
Philippians 4:13 tell us that "I can do all things through
Christ which strengtheneth me"



Sister Elder B.M. Burford (Babs)



Daughter Elders

Sister Elder Beth Blanchard *Picture not available*

Grandmother Sarah St. Lucy Franklin, our grandmother, use to say
"If not in my life, then in my children's time"

**In tribute to all the Daughter Elders who have graced the
rostrum since the beginning of this great tabernacle
(1900-2000)**

They have been an inspiration to the generations that
came during their time and especially after.

From the Vice President

of the Church of God and Saints of Christ's One Hundredth Anniversary

I salute the Church of God and Saints of Christ during this Centennial Celebration. It has been a great honor and privilege to serve as the Vice President of the Church of God and Saints of Christ's One Hundredth Anniversary.

As we "Celebrate the Past" we look back to our forefathers and thank them for their pioneering efforts. They truly set a precedence for us today.



As we look toward the horizon (the point of visible sight) in our Centennial year, we turn to the Almighty God for our help, health, and peace of mind. With His guidance, together we can build a tomorrow for our generations to come.

As we "Turn to the Future" we look to God for His divine Guidance. Only He can take this church to a place where it has never been before!

Look to Jesus! He's the author and finisher of our faith.

Yours in faith,

G.L. St. Beverly N. Stallings





April - May 1937

Frederick Hamilton was born into slavery, in Memphis, Tennessee in the year 1851. His mother was of African descent and lived through the terrible evils of slavery, which included separation from her children and the denial of an education.

At a very early age, young Fred entered the military service in the Civil War and served as a waterboy; too young to serve as a soldier. After the war, he and his family migrated North. Determined to overcome illiteracy, Fred visited the library daily and accomplished his goal of becoming literate. His two career paths were as a mortician and a goldsmith, respectively.

Fred's Christian walk began in the slave quarters of Tennessee with his mother and other slaves as guides. In this community stories were told and retold, keeping alive African traditions as they blended with the European South.

Upon his arrival in Newark, he joined Bethany Baptist church and became a charter member. Later, he would hear the gospel of Jesus Christ, preached by Malinda Morris and was compelled (through the spirit of God) to join the Church of God and Saints of Christ.

Upon the death of the founder, Prophet William S. Crowdy, Evangelist Fred Hamilton was entrusted with the funeral arrangement, as he was also a well-qualified mortician. He loved the church and rose to the rank of Grand Father Abraham, assistant pastor and the first succeeding pastor (for one month) after Queen Morris' demise.

In each capacity, he served well with humbleness and diligence.





Evangelist Robert G. Brown

1937-1946

Evangelist Robert G. Brown was born in Kingston Jamaica on October 13, 1872. As young adults, Robert, his brother, and sister journeyed to the United States. Newark, New Jersey became their home away from home.

As time went on, the family heard the gospel of Jesus Christ (preached through Queen Morris) and was compelled by the spirit of God to join the Church of God and Saints of Christ. They were faithful members and supportive of the work.

Bob was a very learned gentleman and rose to the rank of Evangelist. He spoke the following languages very fluently: German, Hebrew, French, Yiddish, Spanish, Latin, and English. Evangelist Bob later met and was joined in Holy Matrimony to St. Minnie. They had five lovely children.

After the passing of Queen Morris, Evangelist Bob accepted the pastorship in May 1937. He was a preacher of the gospel and a teacher. The members and ministers benefited from these talents. He took the younger ministers under his wing and trained them in what we know today as, homiletics.

In 1946, he resigned due to health reasons. He fell asleep shortly thereafter in the month of June. Evangelist Bob was deeply loved and respected by the members. He held the banner high!



Bishop Allen Wesley Hamilton

1946-1955-1958-1976



Bishop Allen Wesley Hamilton was born in Newark, New Jersey to Frederick and Laura Hamilton in 1884. As a young man Allen attended the James M. Baxter Elementary School and completed his secondary education at Barringer High School.

As an industrialist, young Allen built his own Model T. Ford in his backyard and a boat at the Passaic River. He was also a radio technician, a listener of classical music and a piano player.

Allen was raised with the Lord and joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ, under the leadership of Queen Morris. Following in the footsteps of his Dad, he too, became a minister. As a young minister in the ministry, Bishop Hamilton, as he was later known, served as Queen Morris' choice, reader of the scriptures and one of her

chauffeurs. He served as: Elder, Evangelist, Grand Father Abraham and Bishop. He is lovingly remembered by many as Grand Father Abraham.

Bishop Hamilton assisted his father with the burial of the founder, Prophet Crowdy. He would say and display his hands while saying, "These 10 fingers helped to prepare the body of Prophet Crowdy."

Bishop Hamilton succeeded Queen Morris as the third pastor. His tenure began in 1946. He humbly relinquished his pastorate in favor of a younger minister in 1955. This act showed his gentle spirit and his willingness to let the younger generation carry on with the vision. He returned and successfully reinstated his ministry in 1958. Bishop Allen Hamilton retired from the pastorate in 1976.

As a congregation, we spent many Sabbath afternoons listening to his recollections of his grandmother's life in servitude. Perhaps these stories served as an inspiration for his success in life. Following the examples he set and the ideals he believed in, the opportunities we are afforded today, should not be taken for granted. In March of 1991, Bishop Hamilton was called from labor to reward having received the gift of life for 107 years. We will forever remember his countless sermons and teachings. How can we ever forget him passionately saying, "Help me, Brother Paul!

He was married to the late St. Maude and this union was blessed with 5 children. As a widower, he later married the late Evangelist Hilda Hamilton.

We hold up our dear Bishop as a true leader and faithful servant of God. He was truly blessed.



Evangelist Doc (John) Harris, Jr.

1955-1958



Evangelist Doc (John) Harris, Jr. was born to (Pop) Doc Harris Sr. and St. Roberta Harris on March 15, 1916 in Newark, New Jersey. Evang. Doc like many others followed in the footsteps of his relatives in the ministry. At an early age, he joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ under the leadership of Queen Morris, who was also his maternal aunt. It was very evident that he would become a minister. He favored preaching and studied to become a biblicist as opposed to playing.

His tenure as pastor began in June 1955 until October 1958. Under his leadership, the choir performed on the Ted Mack Show, WHBI Radio Station, neighborhood churches, and at the Golden Gate in New York City. He also had a street ministry and the choir was supportive of his efforts.

Evang. Harris' charismatic personality enraptured the congregation to the point where 31 souls once came forward when he extended the invitation of discipleship. That record to our knowledge has been untouched.

Today's terminology would describe Evang. Harris as being a dashing and spirited preacher.

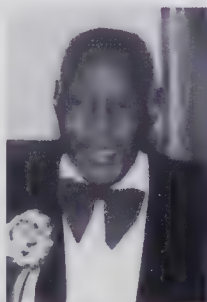


**DURING THE TEN YEAR PERIOD OF 1976-1986,
MULTI DISCIPLES
WERE CALLED BY THE LORD TO MINISTER THE CONGREGATION.**

These blessed servants of God were:
The Late Eld. Melvin Pearson
Eld. Frank Henderson, Sr., and Deacon Stephen William Archie



Eld. Melvin Pearson



Frank Henderson, Sr.



Deacon Stephen William Archie

Evang-At-Large

John E. Kaiser

June - October 1986

Evang-At-Large John E. Kaiser was born October 25, 1919 in New York City, New York to John and Emma Kaiser. He was educated in the Manhattan and Brooklyn Public School Systems.

John's organizational skills, eagerness and forwardness led him to challenge multi career paths. He was a realtor, restaurant owner and apprenticed as a draftsman under Charles Chambers. Years later, the Charles, Henkel and Kaiser Construction Company was formed.

John joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ at the tender age of 9 years old, under the leadership of Eld. Richard Briggs, Brooklyn, New York. He was ordained to the ministry in 1971 under the leadership of the late Bishop James R. Grant. Evang. Kaiser is a stalwart advocate for the Church of God and Saints of Christ. He often says, "The plan Prophet Crowdy gave us is a successful plan."



To his credit and we " Give it all back to Him." He founded the Crowdy, Groves, Dickerson Theological Seminary, past manager of the church farmland in Galestown, Maryland, founder of Ecumenical Community of Bishops, founding member of the United Community Corporation, served in the U.S. armed services, a member of the United Service Organization, entertained soldiers, a member of the singing groups (Master Keys and Selah Jubilee Singers, and President of the Resident Council at the Vista Home.

Evang. Kaiser was instrumental in getting food, clothing and housing for fallen humanity. He also served as an Evangelistic Team member of the Church of God and Saints of Christ. He along with other ministers traveled from coast to coast encouraging and supporting new pastors and their ministry.

Evang. Kaiser served as our Interim-Pastor June-October 1986.

Evangelist Enoch Matthew Stallings

1986



Evang. Stallings affectionately known as Sonny, was born in New Haven, Connecticut and is the eldest son of the late Counselor Enoch Stallings, Sr. and St. Alice Stallings. He is one of twelve siblings, four of whom have gone on to glory.

Evang. Stallings was educated in the Connecticut Public School System. He received his Post Secondary schooling from the School of Optics, affiliated with New York University, New York, New York.

At an early age, it was noticeable that he, like so many others would become a minister. Playing church and preaching to his brothers and sisters was his past time.

At the early age of twenty-two, Stallings was called to the ministry. To meet the challenges and demands of the ministry, he enrolled in the William H. Plummer School of Religion in Belleville, Virginia. Upon completion of that course of study he attended the Jewish Theological Seminary, New York City.

Assigned the pastorate in 1986 by the late Executive Officer, Bishop James R. Grant, Elder Stallings, as he was known then came to the Jones St. Tabernacle willing, able, capable and ready to Shepherd the flock of God.

Evang. Stallings is an accomplished speaker, preacher, teacher, well read, and learned etc... He also has an innovative mind and a gentle spirit, which is an added motivating force.

He has served as Chairman of the Presbytery Board of the National Church of God and Saints of Christ, instituted the first Deacons Weekend Celebration, and a responsible party in the reunion of the Church of God and Saints of Christ (Jamaica West Indies) with the United States. He also traveled with the Evangelistic Team to help newly ordained ministers and to encourage those churches.

As an experienced leader, he has pastured three churches. They are: New Haven, Connecticut, Brooklyn, New York and Newark, New Jersey, respectively.

On a personal note, Evang. Stallings is married to St. Beverly N. Stallings. They reside in Newark, New Jersey.



**April 29, 2000 marked the 63rd graveside memorial service
for the late Queen Malinda Dora Morris**

(Fairmount Cemetery)



Graveside



Evang. Sharon Doyle- Sabbath Speaker
(Queen's Memorial Service)



Elder Philip Thomas, Jr.
Graveside Speaker

Text: St. John 14:13

"Christ prepared a place in glory for us; likewise we must
prepare ourselves to enter the future with Him."

In keeping with our theme:

Celebrating the Past-Turning to the Future

Evang. Doyle said, " We must come from the past into a glorious new life.
The future is not in those materialistic things. It is Jesus Christ."

"As we age, our physical being changes. With age and growth
in time our spiritual awareness should also alter."



Graveside Service



Centennial Prayer Breakfast Kick Off of The Church of God and Saints of Christ

April 30, 2000

held at
Newark Airport Marriott Hotel



Minister Benjamin Muhammad

Keynote Speaker

Minister Benjamin Muhammad took his text from Rev. 22:1-2 His theme: The tree of life that has one root (Religious Unity)

He asserted that he is a believer in Jesus Christ. The church, synagogue and mosque has one root (the Almighty God). There are many branches and leaves but we stem from one root.

He said that problems incurred today are from disobedience to God. If we do the will of God, then we shall prosper together.

"The relationship between the mosque and the Church of God and Saints of Christ should be in lifting Jesus."

If you don't have time for God, whose life are you living? What tree are you connected to? What branch of the tree are you connected to? What's your root?"



Dais Guest: G.M.S. St. Hulda Culler,
Elder Jerald Barber,
Bishop Robert Stallings, Sr.,
St. Kelly Wade, Minister Muhammad



Symbolic passing of torch from G.M.S. St.
Hulda Culler (Oldest member to Baby
Tashia Irby-Boyd (youngest member)



*Centennial Kickoff Guest
"Seizing the Moment"*



Congratulations!

to the

Church of God and Saints of Christ

on 100 years of service

BOARD OF TRUSTEES



The trustees remember the faith and honesty of those who blazed the trail in the beginning. We have a clear vision of the future. We are eager to face the challenges of the next millennium. As trustees, we are not daunted by new missions. Great accomplishments await us as we celebrate the past, turn to the future and keep the faith. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in Heaven.

Centennial Greetings From the **DAUGHTERS' QUORUM**

Over one hundred years ago, Prophet Crowdy founded the Daughter's Quorum. He organized a forum for women in which they could have an active voice and participate in church functions.

Each of the daughters of Jerusalem have distinct characteristics. Their beautiful stories are interwoven with their biblical counterparts.

"Who can find a virtuous woman? For her price is far above rubies."
Proverbs 31:10-31



Acting Father Abraham – Shep. St. Andre L. Roberts

Left to Right:

Exhorting Daughter – Sis. Eld. Barbara M. Burford

Storehouse Mistress – St. Beverly Stallings

Rachel – St. Betty Chase

Mother Sarah – St. Linda M. Blanchard

Acting Leah – St. Emerald J. Irby

Mary – Chorister St. Wanda M. Roberts

Martha – Sis. Eld. J. Beth Blanchard

Centennial Greetings

The

JONES STREET SINGERS AND CHOIR OFFICIALS

would like to offer our congratulations in this, our Centennial Year. We thank God for his many blessings, past and present singers, and for allowing us to still be on the battle field for the Lord.

The founder of this organization, Prophet William S. Crowdy, said that the singers were his battle ax. We are to work with preparedness and fowardness at all times. It is our commission to work for our reward. **"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."**



CHOIR OFFICIALS

Shepherd, Andre L. Roberts

Tabernacle Chorister, St. Irene L. Jones

Assistant Chorister, St. Wanda M. Roberts

Let us hold true to the singers' creed, which states:

"I will sing of mercy and judgement, unto thee, O Lord, will I sing."

Psalms 101:1



Centennial Greetings



We the members of the
PULPIT COMMITTEE

thank our God for allowing us
to be a part of this great history.

It's truly a blessing!

The privilege of maintaining the pulpit's dignified and functional appearance is an honor. During the medieval period, it was common to have two ambos or pulpits for Epistle and Gospel. The Renaissance period favors one. It is understood that the Word of God is one.

ST. BETTY CHASE, ST. NAOMI BLANCHARD, ST. IRENE JONES

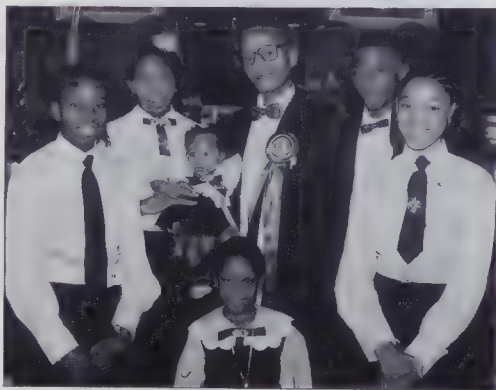
Centennial Greetings

It is because of our ancestors work
and persistence that we have the privilege of
celebrating 100 years.

We will strive to emulate their success.

This occasion will have a lasting effect, etched on our minds.

Happy 100th Birthday!



*Pictured from left to right: St. Diamond Irby St. Emerald Irby, Baby Tashia Irby-Boyd,
Pastor Enoch Stallings, Shep. St. Andre Roberts, St. Simone Roberts*

Center: Tytiana Spann

Inset: Chanel Irby

The Staff and Scholars of the **SABBATH SCHOOL**

extend our warmest

Congratulations

to the

Church of God and Saints of Christ
on this auspicious occasion.

We vow to continue to hold the banner
high and pass it on to the next generation
and generations to come.

We encourage everyone to read
and above all
"get an understanding"
of the Word of God.

*Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that
needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.*

II Timothy 2:15

Superintendent – CHORISTER ST. WANDA M. ROBERTS
Secretary/Treasurer – MOTHER SARAH ST. LINDA M. BLANCHARD



Congratulations

Church of God & Saints of Christ

I congratulate the Church of God and Saints of Christ on its 100 year anniversary. As we enter a new millennium, the old truths of Scripture are as strong and vital as ever. The spirit of the Word brings vital messages of faith and hope to all who listen. May the Lord richly bless your endeavors.



SHARPE JAMES

Mayor
City of Newark

Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

Centennial Worship Service

Beginning of the Sabbath

Friday - October 27, 2000

7:30 p.m.

Celebrating the Past - Turning to the Future

Mistress of Ceremonies..... Sis. Elder J. (Beth) Blanchard

We Seek the Lord

Church Anthem I Love Thy Church O God"

Prayer

Choir Selection

Scripture Reading

Choir Selection

We Serve the Lord

Pastoral Address Pastor Evang. Enoch M. Stallings

Choir Selection

Devotional

Sabbath Sacrifice

Prayer of Consecration

We Hear the Word

Introduction of Speaker

Ministry of the Word Elder Frank G. Henson

We Respond to the Word

Invitation to Discipleship

Invitation Hymn

We Depart to Serve

The Pastor's Word. Evang. Enoch Stallings

Closing Remarks Elder Frank Henson

Benediction Evang. Enoch Stallings



Centennial Anniversary



Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

Centennial Sabbath Worship Service

Saturday - October 28, 2000

11:00 a.m.

Celebrating the Past - Turning to the Future

Master of Ceremonies -
Sabbath School

Bro. John Barber
Supt. St. Wanda Roberts

We Seek the Lord

Call to Worship

Minister: We will not permit the smaller and lesser creatures of the universe to outdo us in praise to God.

People: We are the redeemed, made sacred and blessed for all time by unconditional love. Our praise will be stronger than song of bird
We will forever praise the Lord.

Revised National Church Anthem - Processional "I Love Thy Church O God"

Prayer
Choir Selection
Scripture Reading
Choir Selection

We Serve the Lord

Pastoral Address Evang. Enoch Stallings
Choir Selection
Historical Reading St. Wanda M. Roberts
Devotional
Sabbath Sacrifice

Justice and peace are costly, bought with sacrifice. If we would feed the hungry, wipe out war, combat racism, subdue sexism, and educate mind and spirit, we must give

Prayer of Consecration
Choir Processional & Recessional

We Hear the Word

Introduction of Speaker Elder Jerald S. Barber
Ministry of the Word Bishop Robert H. Stallings

We Respond to the Word

Invitation to Discipleship
Invitation Hymn
Acknowledgments
Announcements
Pastor's Word Evang. Enoch M. Stallings
Closing Remarks Bishop Robert H. Stallings
Closing Hymn
Doxology Evang. Enoch M. Stallings
Repast (Church Dining Hall)



Centennial Anniversary



Menu

Hospitality Hour Preceding Dinner

Mock Bar • Soda • Juice

COLD HORS D'OEUVRES BUFFET STATION

Fresh Crudites with Assorted Dips Imported Pepperoni, Salami and
Imported Cheeses, Deviled Eggs, Brucetta, Imported Crackers,
marinated Artichoke Hearts, Fresh Roasted Peppers Cured Black Olives

HOT HORS D'OEUVRES

Fried Chicken, Cheese Puffs, Homemade Pizza,
Shrimp Puffs, Stuffed Mushrooms, Spare Ribs

APPETIZERS

Fruit Cup
Vegetable Soup
Salad

FAMILY STYLE ENTREE

Chicken Franchise
Pepper Steak
Stuffed Flounder
with Spinach and crab meat

Served with String Beans & Red Potatoes with Parsley & butter

Coffee
Tea
Anniversary Cake

**THOUGH THEY LIE ASLEEP
AWAITING THE TRUMPET'S SOUND;
THEIR DEVOTION, LOVE AND HONOR FOR THE
LORD CONTINUES TO ABOUND.
LET US CARRY ON THEIR LEGACY OF LIVES
SUBMITTED TO THE ONE WHO IS FAITHFUL AND TRUE;
BY HONORING OUR FATHER IN EVERYTHING WE DO.
BY: DEBRA BEASLEY**

Queen Malinda Dora Morris
Bishop Allan Wesley Hamilton
G F.A. Frederick Hamilton
Evang. Robert Brown
Evang. (Pop) Doc Harris Sr.
Evang. Alexander Taylor
Evang. William Meadows
Evang. James Proctor
Evang. Doc (John) Harris Jr
Evang. Henry Minor
Evang. Lemuel Lewis
Evang. Chester Brown
Evang. August Thomas
Elder William Crowley
Elder Watt Carter
Elder Frank Henson Sr.
Elder Dink Carter
Elder James Henson
Elder Clarence White
Elder Melvin Pearson
Elder David Cousins
Elder Isaac Edwards
Deacon Eugene Franklin
Deacon Walter Nelson
Deacon James Smith
Deacon James Ragland
Deacon Leroy Delaney
Deacon Steven Thomas
Deacon Lemuel Harris
Deacon Robert Thomas
Dea. Stephen William Archie
Deacon Robert G. Brown
Deaconess Laura Lewis
Deaconess Mary Turner
Chief Evang. Johanna Lewis
Chief Evang. Roberta Carter
U. S. Exhorter Pinky Jones
Chief Charitable Evang. Hilda Hamilton
Evang. Ruth Chambers
Evang. Maude Minor
Sis. Elder Cecelia Brown
Sis. Elder Mary Henson
Sis. Elder Bessie Brown
Sis. Elder Alice Lee
Sis. Elder Exodus Lee
Sis. Elder Abigail Wright
Sis. Elder Mary Spence
Sis. Elder Bertha Taylor
Sis. Elder Mary Russell

Sis. Elder Louise Outlaw
Sis. Elder Ellen Snead
M.S. St. Minnie Brown
St. Aletha Wells
St. Annie Peterson
St. Dorsey Carrington
St. Esther Rumph
St. Sarah Webb
St. Cecilia White
St. Zilla Holmes
St. Irene Carson
St. Eva Johnson
Bro. Benjamin Chambers
Bro. Isaac Chambers
St. Minetta Robinson
St. Madeline Mason
St. Dorothy Lewis
Bro. Zeff Brown
Bro. Jessie Brown
St. Mageline Meadows
St. Minnie Harris
St. Anna White
St. Cora Harris Jr.
Bro. Thomas Lewis
Bro. Samuel Harris
St. Florence Proctor
St. Rhoda Harris
Bro. Arthur Lewis
Bro. Norman Lewis
Bro. James Lewis
St. Gladys Harris
Bro. Trim Russel
St. Magnolia Smith
St. Genevieve Threadgill
Mother Sarah Emeritus
St. Clarabelle Jackson
St. Laura Lambeth
St. Pearl Lambeth
St. Joanna Turner
Bro. Sam Taylor
St. Dorothy Blanchard
St. Ramona Thomas
Bro. Keith Thomas
Bro. Gregory Barnes
St. Irene Boseman
St. Eddis Robinson
St. Joan Anderson
St. Ernestine Sloan
Bro. William Spence



In Memoriam

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints."

Psalm 116:15

Bro. Albert Spence
St. Doris Martin
Bro. Daniel Proctor
St. Debra Russell
St. Lizzie Hargrave
St. Edna Taylor
St. Florence Proctor
St. Eisle Outlaw
St. Pattie Taylor
St. Jeanette Garner
St. Rosa Merritt
Bro. Frederick Culler
St. Marian Harris
St. Kena Franklin
St. Edris Edwards
Bro. Oscar Smith
Bro. Joseph Russell
St. Priscilla Coachman
St. Sheba Chavis
St. Elizabeth Culler
Bro. Richard Sloan
Bro. Geoffrey Sloan
Bro. Matthew Harris
Bro. Robert Russell
Bro. Leonard Jones
Bro. John Blanchard
St. Polly Smith
St. Ellen Bassey
Bro. David Smith
St. Clementine Rodgers
St. Theresa Harris
St. Lula White
St. Lucy Goode
St. Julia Valentine
Bro. Henry Fowles
St. Rachael Fowles
Bro. Daniel Fowles
Bro. Clayton Plunkett
St. Alberta Carter
Bro. Richard Cousins
Bro. Norman Godfrey
St. Catherine Boone
Bro. Felbert Jackson
St. Ozzie Nelson
Bro. Oscar Afflick
St. Carolyn Davenport
Bro. Jack Davenport
Bro. Clarence Davenport
Bro. Caleb Outlaw
St. Nettie Sloan
Bro. Julius Culler
Bro. Edward Culler
Bro. Isaiah Turner

St. Keturah Proctor
St. St. Lillian Taylor
Bro. F. (Arnie) Culler
Bro. Kenneth Culler
St. Renae Bullock
St. Dasiy Moore
St. Suzanna Harris
St. Zilla Williams
Bro. William Harris
Bro. James Harris
St. Annie Woodson
Bro. John Plunkett
St. Yvonne Holland
St. Gertrude Payne
Bro. Samuel Johnson
Bro. Tyrone Jones
Bro. Lamont Harris
St. Agnes Cousins
Bro. Leonard Chavis
St. Daisy Cousins
St. Mabel Manley
Mother Sarah Lucille Meadows
St. Lucy Smith
St. Carrie Fenwick
Bro. Percy Boone
St. Anna Coles
St. Sussie Coles
Bro. Eugene Williams
Bro. Gene Taylor
Chief Chorister Nannie Lawson
St. Ethel Proctor
Bro. Mack Sloan
Bro. John Aycock
St. Sarah Lewis
St. Georgia Blackman
Bro. Henry Fowles
St. Esther Washington
Mother Sarah Edna Henson
Grand Mother Sarah Lucille Franklin
Bro. Lee Carter
Bro. William Outlaw
Bro. James Carson
St. Rebecca Godfrey
St. Clara Russell
Bro. Rafeal Harris
St. Anna Fenwick
Bro. Isaac Thomas
Bro. Sonny Cousins
St. Ethel Carter
St. Anna Hargrove
St. Sarah Taylor
Bro. Harold Russell



*In Loving Memory of
My Mother*



United States Exhorter Pinkey L. Jones

July 22, 1906 — March 29, 1990

Favorite passage of scripture:

Hebrews 12:14

*"Follow peace with all men and holiness,
without which no man shall see the Lord."*



Remembered by your loving daughter
IRENE



In Loving Memory



St. Cecelia White



St. Anna White



Deacon Clarence White

Gone But Never Forgotten

Congratulations

*Church of God and Saints of Christ
on your 100th anniversary*

MADELINE, CLARENCE, JR. AND KENT

*Dedicated
to the
loving memory of
My Beloved Mother*



M.S. ST. DOROTHY MAE DORCAS LEWIS

November 24, 1917 -- November 2, 1994

*She loved the famous quote:
"I've been to the mountain top"*

It was in California where she received
a spiritual renewing and vision.

That quote was apropos to her life.

Centennial Greetings

Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

As we celebrate this auspicious
100th Anniversary,
let us remember that all glory,
praise and honor belong to Him

We are the fourth, fifth and sixth
generations of a great legacy!



Pictured left to right:

Shepherd St. Andre L. Roberts, Chorlister St. Wanda M. Roberts
Elder S. Leon Roberts, St. Simone N. Roberts, Chorlister St. Irene L. Jones



*"Glorify Your Father
Which Is In Heaven"*

All Hail,

To The Church of God and Saints of Christ
and to all of our dear friends

Congratulations Saints

By God's grace, the Church of God and Saints of Christ (Newark, NJ - Jones St. tabernacle) has been blessed to enter into both a new millennium and centennial year. This establishment was founded and proficiently lead by our late great leader, "Queen" Malinda D. Morris.

I give honor and praise to God to be in that number that is presenting our church to God and the community for another 100 years. I send my prayers and blessings to the children of the next centennial.

"Don't Let This Banner Trail The Ground"

In loving memory of Sis. Elder Louise Outlaw - one of the pioneering members of the Church of God and Saints of Christ at 18-20 Lewis St. (Newark, NJ)

Lovingly Remembered,
Elder Jacob Outlaw
Bro. Henry Fowles (usher)
Bro. Daniel Fowles (choir member)
Bro. Edgar Culler

With love,

GRANDMOTHER SARAH ST. HULDA CULLER

St. Matthews 5:16

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven"



*We rejoice with you
as you celebrate 100 years*



*We dedicate this page to
Leon Roberts*



Congratulations on the Celebration of 100 Years

History has reported many of the great pioneers that have established frontiers, created inventions, and even those that fought for world peace. However, there are still many unsung heroes that have journeyed down the road less traveled. They chose the most that exist important quest and that was to dedicate their lives to Christ. Among these unsung heroes were St. Polly Lewis Smith, St. Lee Thomas Lewis, and Chief Evangelist Johanna E. Lewis. Because they were bold soldiers for the Lord, we are blessed with the fruits of their labor.

The journey began in 1900 when Saint Polly Lewis Smith heard the calling of the Lord. That year she joined The Church of God & Saints of Christ in Newark, NJ under the leadership of the late Queen Malinda Dora Morris. Being a mother of 14 children she became the root of the family's spiritual beginning. Despite her Christian example, only 6 of her children joined The Church of God and Saints of Christ. Nevertheless, the generations would continue in the church for years to come.

In 1901, St. Lee Thomas Lewis joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ. St. Lee was the seventh child of St. Polly. In addition to studying the word of God, he was appointed Doorman and greeted all that entered the church with love. As the years progressed he served tirelessly in his position. One day a young woman named Laura Mabel Smith walked through the very door that St. Lee was holding. At that time neither of the two knew they would one day wed.

St. Laura Mabel Smith moved to New Jersey in 1896 from Raleigh, North Carolina. Prior to moving to New Jersey she graduated from St. Augustine College. Following her graduation she became a teacher in Mebens, North Carolina. Despite her affluent career she found that God was urging her to move north. Thus, the move to New Jersey, where she later found her spiritual calling. In April 1909, St. Laura left her Episcopalian background and joined the Church of God and Saints of Christ. Her intelligent yet humble attitude allowed her to hold many positions in this glorious church. Among her positions were: alto singer in the choir, a Sabbath school teacher, Daughters Secretary for over 30 years, Clerk in the Dry Goods Store, Private Secretary to Queen Morris, and later buyer for the Saints material and regalia supplies for many years. One of her greatest milestones was being appointed a Deaconess in 1934.

St. Lee Thomas Lewis and St. Laura Mabel Smith were both dynamic individuals with a quest to follow the teachings of Christ. They were joined in holy matrimony on June 28, 1910. They were blessed with a loving and peaceful marriage. However, on July 4, 1915, God in his infinite power saw fit to bless this union with a beautiful daughter, Johanna Eleanor Lewis. Queen Malinda Dora Morris blessed Johanna. Queen Morris predicted that this child would be blessed with great musical and dressmaking talents.



Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

The prediction of Queen Malinda Morris came to fruition. St. Johanna's talents rapidly developed. By the age of 11 years old, she was a valued member of the Adult Choir. Shortly following she was baptized by Evangelist (Pop) Doc Harris, Sr., at the age of 12 years old. Her musical talents were astounding and clearly a gift from God. By the age of 19 years old St. Johanna Eleanor Lewis was elevated to Chief Chorister of the Church of God and Saints of Christ. During her years as Chief Chorister she composed and arranged over 100 songs while simultaneously managing the voices of 50 or more choir members. In addition to her responsibilities as Chief Chorister, she organized the "Choice Five". This became one of the most prominent vocal groups of the Church of God and Saints of Christ during 1930's through the 1950's. During these years she had the vision to share the talents of the choirs she directed with radio and television. Some of the programs that they appeared on were as follows: Anna Tuell-Eli Wagner (W.H.B.I.), The Ted Mack Hour (C.B.S.-T.V.), various local and network radio shows. During the WWII, The Choice Five entertained troops at Fort Dix.

Chief Johanna dedicated her life to God and serving his church. Some of the other positions that she held in the Church of God and Saints of Christ were as follows: church clerk, historian, secretary of the Trustee Board, Charitable Daughter, Publication Committee Chairperson, Tabernacle Chairperson. In 1960 Evangelist Doc (John) Harris, Jr. appointed her Chief Evangelist of the Elder Daughters. Throughout all of her accomplishments in the church, she was blessed with a beautiful baby girl on November 24, 1940. Chief Johanna Lewis named her daughter Cassandra Elaine Nelson.

Today St. Cassandra Elaine Banks is carrying on the legacy of her family as the Grand Storehouse Mistress of the Church of God and Saints of Christ. She and her children serve as reminders of the footprints that were left by their ancestors. They strive to carry on the spirit of determination and thankfulness to God as their forefathers have done.

Humbly submitted by: The Daughter, Grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of Chief Evangelist Johanna E. Lewis.

G.S.M. St. Cassandra Elaine Banks (**Daughter**)
Professor Robert G. Banks (**Son-in-law**)

Grand Children

Shepherd St. James E. Tillis IV
St. Cassandra E. Picarell
St. Alycia L. Banks

Great Grand Children

James E. Tillis V
Rafael L. Tillis
Johanna E. Picarell
Michael L. Picarell

In - Laws

Mayda S. Tillis
St. Paul J. Picarell\



Centennial Anniversary





Congratulations

and

Best Wishes

on your

One Hundredth Year Anniversary

Best Wishes in the New Millennium

From the

BASIE FAMILY

Ramon Basie, Audrey Basie, Ramon Basie, Jr.,
Ramon Warren Basie, Racyn Basie



Church Of God And Saints Of Christ

Congratulations

to the

CHURCH OF GOD & SAINTS OF CHRIST

(JONES STREET TABERNACLE)

on our

100th Year Centennial Celebration



THE IRBY FAMILY

David, Roz, Kristel, Chanel, Diamond, Emerald, Tashia, Tiffany

❁ *Centennial Anniversary* ❁

Congratulations

on reaching 100 years

*May God continue
to bless you is our prayer*

ELDER FRANK G. HENSON

and

Congregation

Seaford, Delaware Tabernacle #1



Bishop Allen W. Hamilton

(Dec. 31, 1881 - March 8, 1991)

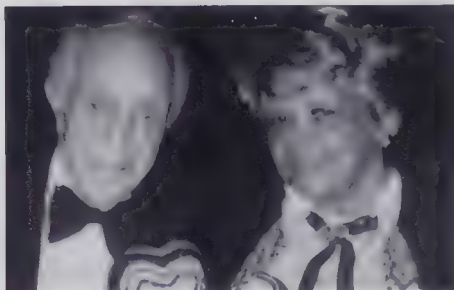
Evangelist Hilda Hamilton

(Oct. 18, 1902 - May 18, 1985)

PSALM 37:25

HAVE BEEN YOUNG AND NOW AM OLD YET HAVE NOT SEEN THE RIGHTEOUS FORSAKEN
NOR HIS SEED BEGGING BREAD

A LOVE THAT NEVER DIES



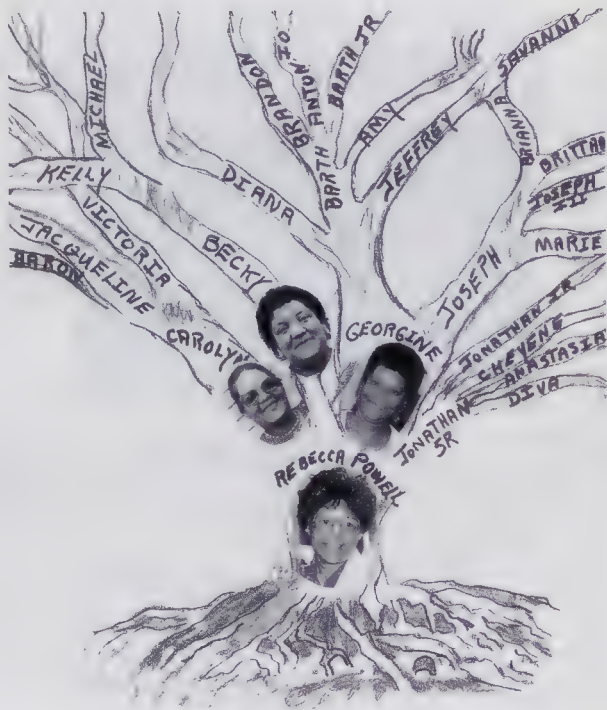
"EXCESSES IN OUR YOUTH ARE DRAFTS IN OUR OLD AGE PAYABLE WITH INTEREST." This was a favorite saying of Bishop Allen W. Hamilton, who joined the Independent Church of God and Saints of Christ in November of 1908, and steadfastly served his church for over eighty years. As pastor he faithfully gave all his tithes when the Jones Street Tabernacle was being built.

"WHEN YOU BITE OFF MORE THAN YOU CAN CHEW . . . YOU JUST HAVE TO START CHEWING!" These words of wisdom could be heard coming from Evangelist Hilda Hamilton, who held many offices in the church. She was Chief Charitable Daughter, Head of the Nursing Department, and Chairperson of the Trustee Board when the Jones Street St. Tabernacle was being built. She also organized and founded Tabernacle #1 of Miami, Florida. She served as pastor for twenty-three years.

*The candle burns on in the spirit of love,
an eternal gift from God above, that lights our path to
everlasting life to be found in His Son, Jesus Christ.*

Congratulations and Best Wishes

as you celebrate your centennial.



FROM THE POWELL, REYES, WALKER-DUARTE FAMILIES

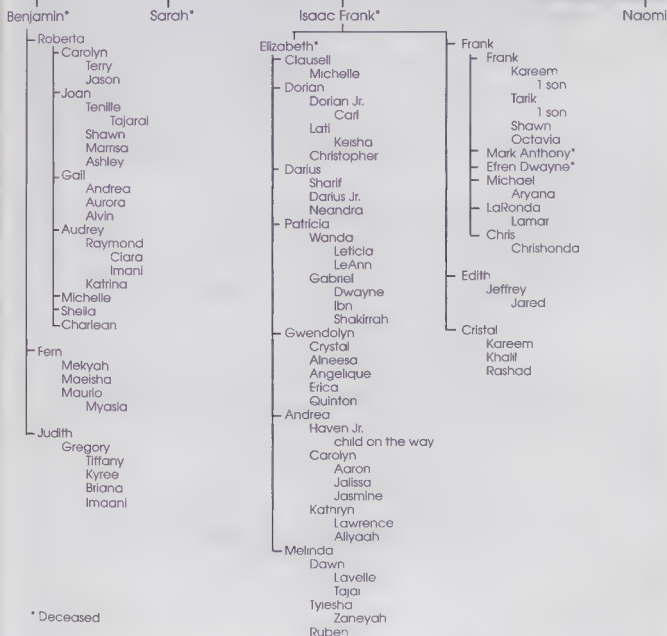


Congratulations!!!

Church of God and Saints of Christ
for 100 years of service

THE FAMILY OF EVANGELIST RUTH CHAMBERS

EVANGELIST RUTH CHAMBERS



* Deceased



To God Be The Glory

CONGRATULATIONS

ON YOUR

**DEDICATION OF 100 YEARS
OF SERVICE TO GOD**

**I DEDICATE THIS PAGE TO
MY FOUNDERING FAMILY
IN THE
CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS OF CHRIST**

Elder Jacob Outlaw
St. Louise Outlaw
St. Teresa Fowles
Trustee, St. Arthur Outlaw



Most of all, I am blessed to enter into this centennial with my sister,
Grandmother Sarah St. Hulda Culler, who personally attended
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Safely Home

I am home in Heaven, dear ones; Oh, so happy and so bright!

There is perfect joy and beauty in this everlasting light.

All the pain and grief is over, Every restless tossing passed;

I am now at peace forever, Safely home in Heaven at last.

Did you wonder I so calmly trod the valley of the shade?

Oh! but Jesus' love illumined every dark and fearful glade.

And He came Himself to meet me in that way so hard to tread;

And with Jesus' arm to lean on, Could I have one doubt or dread?

Then you must not grieve so sorely, For I love you dearly still:

Try to look beyond earth's shadows, Pray to trust your Father's Will.

There is work still waiting for you, So you must not idly stand;

Do it now, while life remaineth - You shall rest in Jesus' land.

When that work is all completed, He will gently call you Home;

Oh, the rapture of that meeting, Oh, the joy to see you come!



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The Late Elder Frank and M.S. Edna Henson transferred their membership to the Independent Church of God and Saints of Christ in 1947. They were under the leadership of G.F.A. Allen W. Hamilton who later rose to the office of a Bishop. The edifice then was located at 18-20 Lewis Street, Newark, New Jersey.

They enjoyed a "Spiritual Explosion" there! Bro. Frank and St. Edna served in the greatest choir under the competent and proficient direction of the late C.C. St. Johanna Lewis. She is best remembered as Chief Evangelist of the daughters.

As the Henson family worshipped in their new tabernacle, their talents and dedication were quickly recognized.

In 1955, Bro. Frank was commissioned to head the church's education department, as its superintendent. St. Edna was installed as the Mother Sarah of the tabernacle by the late Evangelist Doc. John Harris, then the preceding pastor.

For many years they served faithfully until health prevented St. Edna from doing her job. Bro. Frank continued as Sabbath School Superintendent and chairman of the trustee board. The Mortgage burning celebration culminated with a black tie affair held at Newark's Robert Treat Hotel. The Hensons were there to witness that event!

In spite of circumstances, I would often hear my parents say that they would never leave the Ind. Church of God and Saints of Christ. The tabernacle provided a "spiritual haven" in their time of need; when others closed their doors to them.

They leave as a legacy of their membership two stained glass windows that were dedicated in honor of their memory.

**Your Son, Frank,
Daughter, Joan,
Grandchildren: Dawn, Tiffany, Lance, William**

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to the
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of
U.S. Exhorting Daughter, Pinkey Jones
and
The Jones-Roberts Families

May God continue to bless you always

RICHARD S. COOKE & FAMILY

Dedicated to my Godson

Andre Leon Roberts



May God Bless You Continuously

Your Godfather

RICHARD S. COOKE

*Let your light so shine before men,
that they may see your good works and
glorify your Father which is in heaven.*

Saint Matthew 5: 16

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"From these roots," the Thomas family have numbered five generations. Each of the generations were spiritually guided and our religious foundation was nurtured in the church of God and Saints of Christ. Our operative goal is to further develop the Christian Ministry.

We continue to have a legacy of faithful service to God's Church and the community-at-large. Congratulations to the Church of God and Saints of Christ (Jones Street Tabernacle) on your centennial. We look forward to a cooperative effort for future triumphs.

Chief Evangelist Philip and Grand Rachael St. Ruth Thomas

* Deceased

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In Memory
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ST. LEAH SLOAN TOWNSEND
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*In Loving Memory Of
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*In Loving Memory
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and justify my life . . ."

W.E.B. DuBois last message on June 26,
1957 in Accra, Ghana

FROM THE FAMILY

Kathryn Helms Harris

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of

**Grandfather Abraham
Frederick M. Hamilton**

and

Bishop Allen W. Hamilton

From

THE FAMILY



In Remembrance of

My father

Elder David J. Cousins



My beloved daughter

St. Kena Franklin



Elder Cousins loved to praise and worship the Lord in the highest.
His distinct and piercing clapping of hands were his instrument in praise to God!

Praise ye the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary.

Praise him in the firmament of his power.

Psalm 150:1

St. Kena was an affectionate and warm spirited person. Both are truly missed.

Lovingly Remembered,

ST. ANNA FRANKLIN



*Thank you Jesus for letting me witness
this Centennial Celebration!*



Centennial Anniversary



In Memoriam

A Cherished Remembrance For A Loved One

Deacon Leroy Delaney

Church of God and Saints of Christ
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Surely the late Deacon Leroy Delaney
would offer these words of wisdom to encourage and inspire us.

THE DELANEY FAMILY

Barbara A. Delaney, *Daughter*



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Life is a gift **ACCEPT IT**
Life is an adventure **DARE IT**
Life is a sorrow **OVERCOME IT**
Life is a tragedy **FACE IT**
Life is a duty **PERFORM IT**
Life is a game **PLAY IT**
Life is a song **SING IT**
Life is an opportunity **TAKE IT**
Life is a journey **COMPLETE IT**
Life is a promise **FULFILL IT**
Life is a beauty **PRAISE IT**
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Life is a puzzle **SOLVE IT**



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Always Remembered

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Trusting in His holy Word,
He's never failed us yet."

"To God be the glory"

ST. MATILDA BLANCHARD

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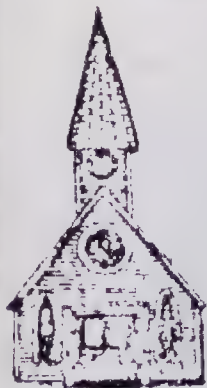


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This Chapter eloquently describes the excellencies of charity.

*In our Christian walk, we are to exemplify the life of
Jesus Christ by displaying Faith, Hope and Charity;
the greatest of these, is love.*

1 Corinthians 13:1 13



pictured left to right St. Edith Peterson, St. Delores Lewis, St. Florence Harris

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May God Bless You!

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Psalms 145 10

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Bears fruit long after it's gone;
So even if the life's cut short,
The work for Christ will carry on.
— Sper

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you and you are forever in our hearts.

Love,

THE FAMILY



Centennial Anniversary



In loving memory of our sister

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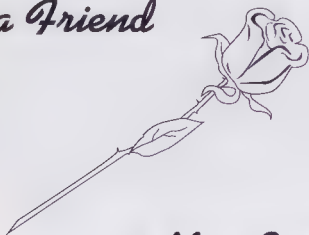


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I thank God for sending us
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Queen Malinda Dora Morris.

Trustee
ST. BETTY CHASE

*Compliments
from a Friend*



May God Bless



*"Praise God from whom all
blessings flow!"*

Without the Lord,
we wouldn't have made
our 100 years

ST. EDITH PETERSON & FAMILY

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"Suffer little children to come unto me,
and forbid them not: for of such is the
kingdom of God.



Tytiana Ruth Spann
The 5th Generation of
Deacon Eugene & G M S
St. Lucy Franklin

Lovingly Submitted,
ST. MATILDA BLANCHARD

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